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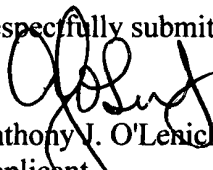
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Please find enclosed the following components of an information disclosure statement:

1. PTO list of patents cited
2. Discussion under rule 98
3. Cited patents as follows; 5,003,057

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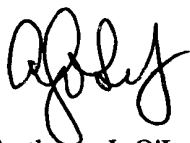
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### **Discussion Under Rule 98**

One of the most significant patents is U.S. Patent 5,003,057 issued March 26, 1991 to McCurry et al incorporated herein by reference, provides for a process for preparing glycosides from a source of saccharide moiety and an alcohol in the presence of a hydrophobic acid catalyst is provided. An example of such a catalyst is dinonylnaphthalenemonosulfonic acid. The use of such catalysts provides a number of process advantages, which includes the reduced production of polar by-products. Preferred glycosides produced by the process are higher alkyl glycosides useful as surfactants.

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